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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Director-Comptroller  
Deputy Director for Intelligence  
Deputy Director for Plans  
Deputy Director for Science and Technology  
Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT: Revision of DCIDs

1. You will recall that at our 19 April preliminary planning session on the revision of the DCIDs, I undertook to raise a couple of issues with the Director which emerged from the meeting. These involved the USIB committees and whether the new DCIDs would reflect their supporting role to the IRAC as well as USIB; and also the question of membership on the USIB committees.

2. On the first point, I recommended to the Director that IRAC not be specifically mentioned in order to preserve for the committees as flexible a role as possible and not to leave open the question whether a representative of either ASD(I) or the OMB might claim membership because of their seat on IRAC itself. The Director agreed not to mention IRAC in the DCIDs.

3. On the question of membership on the committees, I recommended that chairmen should have the option of inviting representatives from organizations other than members of USIB to become members of their committees when this seemed essential to the conduct of their business. I also recommended that when chairmen wished to invite a Service representative, this should only be done after coordination with DIA. The Director also agreed with this recommendation.

4. With these points clarified, I would like to have  proceed with your designees in the selection and revision process we suggested to you. From this session, I would hope would emerge agreement on a work program and schedule, which would include those DCIDs which will basically be drafted within Directorates, and those referring specifically to USIB committees, on which we will want appropriate Directorate inputs and where I will then initiate coordination with individual committee chairmen.

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5. At the conclusion of these sessions with your designees, I should be in a position to advise you generally when drafts should be ready for discussion with you. [REDACTED] Room 7E 22, will arrange the first meeting of the designees, including [REDACTED] of OGC, in a day or so.

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